Murkin 12/12/76 note 44-38861

also 576, 686

1 FBI had Ray (Riley) ID before Bonebrake's prints ID

Serial 3 quote Canipe as saying car w. Must-alley left "at high rate of speed." Stamped at HQ 9:03 pm 4/5 says shot from bathroom

207 or NR label 4/18/64 Lab to Mg explains – on wounds – no ref to throat

327 (Vol 3) Deputy says young man throw pkg & run ? 4/4/68

Says how early Lab work began (but long delayed)

329 – on bullet

Vol 4 432 – tested 243 but not 30.06 for recent firing – not test any until 4/10?

Vol 5 526 First mention Ray name? From LA, with Galt, Riley

Vol 6 628 – Ray – B'ham lock key from Baton Rouge 12/67?

Vol 7 808 – 2 witnesses looking at flophouse saw no sign of shot from there but FBI thinks McCullough makes good impression

872 – prints from Mustang

Vol 8 (no serial about 931) window open 3" only

982 4/6/82 says bullet could have been fired from that rifle before Lab reports on it & without testing

1021 on Ray's laundry left & picked up (4/5)

Vol 9 1061 – on Hoover & AG

1062 4/13 Buffalo spotted name Eric Galt in Toronto phone book

Vol 10 – 1256 (4/17 consolidated Lab report to Memphis

1267 Latona's ID of print from (which!) map 4/17

Vol 11 1367 4/18 first record on B'ham charge?

Vol 12 – 1564 Stephens, other alleged IDs of Ray pix 4/18 – same day as CBS

1575 (last in volume refers to 4/17 charge

Vol 13 1582 on charge – is it secret?

Vol 18 2118 Ray knew nothing about rifles (De Shazo) (Hanners)

basis [illegible] charge

2) Vol 20 -21- Stephens not in hallway (Serial 2322)

42-7 McCullough smelled gun powder (from inside bldg 200 feet away?) saw none anywhere to west

{ 48-9 Abernathy. shot from nearby & directly in front of door

(51-4 Solomon Jones - shot from west - not MLK. says what he saw - person, above waiste only, in bushes - 60 ft away only (note - none of the sightings later attributed to him

55-7 Bernard Lee - shot "came from across the street in front of Dr King's room" certain - military experience Looking "immediately others would have seen anyone in window

58-9 Andy Young "observed police officers coming from the area where he thought the shot may have come from," or "a large clump of bushes.... opposite King's room. View of flash of shot obscured by supporting pool wall

71 ff Burrell Finley - car could have come from farther south, or parking lot

83 Dollahite - compare with Ghormley, others

87 Ptn Landers looked for footprints around flophouse only

89-90 Fireman Stone: shot came "from the parking lot located north of the Fire Department" (sic)

Vol 21 Serial 2323 B'ham - copy withheld from USAtty, Memphis

Makes false positive ID of rifle

88 B'ham safe deposit key surrendered 12/12/67

139 cab fare from Sheraton High Rise to across street from Chops'

176 4/7 FBI discussed filing conspiracy charge with Gamble, who agreed

Part 2 Serial 2324 Atlanta 4/18/68 report

23 examination of Mustang

41 Ray got laundry after 9 a.m. 4/5, Piedmont

3/ Section 22, 2325, LA 4/18/68
Section 23 Serials 2326 - 2439
2403 IDs SCMWA official as Wm Lucy. Includes public accounts of when King would return to Memphis
Section 25 - 2622 authorizes "full coverage" on all Ray's relatives
Section 26 - of 35 copies, none to any prosecutor
Cover page says "persons who were at Jim's Grill .. report seeing a white Mustang almost in front of" at FBI [illegible] This is not pertinent! and don't get "confused"
5 Stephens would not ID Ray from photo nor anyone (6) nor Bessie Brewer (7) nor Reeves (8) or Frank Brewer (9) Stephens again (10) nor anyone at Rebel Motel nor at Rexall (15 ff) & not even Carpenters at York (17 ff)
38 Kyles said shot from bushes, King stood up 4-5 minutes before shot. Saw no one in any bldg window
People at Jim's Grill next, 48-69 important on all cars
75-7 Duplicate drivers license mailed to 2608 S. Highland on 3/1. No explanation of how it reached Ray in California
Section 27 - N.O. request not to go to USA, Memphis (2673)
Section 28 - 2725 - Do a black bag job but don't get caught
2749 - Can't say Ray rifle fired bullet. account of the thrown off
Section 29 - 2791 - Ray had prison prints from Baton Rouge
2897 - are assumptions designed to hide FBI illegalities? (70)
Section 32 - 3150 - order to study all of Ian Fleming's works, use all names, attached to 3151
Section 33 - 3332 p 12 people with Ray-Raby names formed before Ray was IDed (cf RS - W Lab 4/12 or any days before FBI announced his name a 7 days)
Section 36 - 3336, virulently anti-semitic letter, got polite reply!
3339 Second recommendation of check Canadian passports
Section 38 - 3486 Rifle was test fired - scope set wrong

Section 40, 3521 - phony registration at Provincial Motel
phony Miami address, car license (belongs to another)
Section 44, 3662 - Carpenter psych Ward Gaston Hosp
Section 45 - 4 2 residences, names masked on N.O. city
map - close to Industrial Canal
My later note says to check Bulky 5506. Lat
Section 46, 3767 B'ham report withheld from USA, Memphis
5/20/68
Section 48, 3918-9 - FBI HQ Ray could beat King, Mo pen raps?
Section 50 - 4016 - calls from JC Harden thru AH, N.O.
Section 51 - 4090 NO TT on Thompson/Harden story
(NO nothing on Harden)
4132 - 6/2 report Canadian finding of Sneyd passport
4139-40 names masked. On Thompson-Harden?
4141 - Eaton confesses to FBI that he gave it bum steer on
Alton bank job but it leaked phony story any way -
suggesting source Ray's money
Section 53 4217 - Ray had correct family data on Sneyd -
certainly not from his birth notice (also 54-4316) also 57-4454-55
Section 55 - 4351 Thompson/Harden, taken seriously
Section 57 - 4447 - DeLoach arguing to AG Clark also 59-4616
4454 Ray had correct data on Paul Edward Bridgeman
Section 58 - 4531 - O'Leary stuff
4586 - copy to Canada but not to USA
Section 61 - 4736 Alton Thompson IDs artist sketch JC Harden
Section 69 - 5111 - Ray not connected Alton bank job.
5147 - First Huie mention, also 5151, 5158, 5160, 5169 (70) 5171ff, 5220
(77) 5582 (78) 5629 (80) 5805

Section 73-5387 p 32 Redditt, Richmond had no radio
Section 76 Raul Esquivel 5539, 5549, 5552 (3 pp withheld)
5558, 5565 (77) 5580 (2 pp withheld), 5596 (79) 5723
Section 81 (FBI self-promotion, phony claims) 5817, 5819
(82) 5854

Section 84 -5966 -Haile asked FBI for info on Herb McDonnell & me on 10/7. Only probable source his knowledge electronic surveillance. No recollection of this in Memphis files, i.e., of how Haile knew

Section 85 -5999 -civil rts complaint on B'ham included

Section 86 - NR after 6094 -FBI "has five informants providing coverage of the Invaders leadership positions" Only 1 a member
Last is Lab records from Bulky 5586. Notes indicate what is omitted from sketches, mockup